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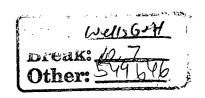
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Ms. Barbara Newman HRS--CAN3 U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Waste Management Division J.F. K. Federal Building Boston, MA 02203

Notice Required under U.S. EPA Docket No. CERCLA

I-90-1035

Dear Barbara:

In accordance with paragraph 18 of the above-referenced order, I am writing to notify you that, effective May 1, 1990, W.R. Grace & Co.-Conn. and UniFirst Corporation have engaged Environmental Project Control, Inc. (EPC) as the contractor to perform technical activity required under the above referenced Administrative Order by Consent signed April 27, 1990. Mr. Jeffrey T. Lawson, P.G., President of EPC, will be responsible for the administration of actions called for by the Order. EPC will coordinate compilation of the treatability study work plan. This work will include direction of the efforts of Canonie, GeoTrans, ENSR, The Johnson Company and John Cherry, Ph.D, an independent hydrogeologist. Each of these firms or persons is responsible for writing a description of its portion of the work. In addition, each firm or person will write its appropriate section of the sampling and analysis plan.

Canonie has been selected to draft the Quality Assurance Project Plan (QAPP) and the health and safety plan. The site security plan will be written as appropriate by Canonie for its treatability study equipment area, by The Johnson Company for its treatability study equipment area and by ENSR and GeoTrans for all equipment set up off UniFirst and Grace properties. Canonie will integrate the analytical laboratory quality assurance procedures into its overall quality assurance plan.

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EPC will integrate these various sections of the work plan into a comprehensive and coherent document. Mr. Lawson will be the principal in charge of the project and will be assisted by Laura Moore, currently an employee of ENSR. Resumes of the project personnel are being submitted by EPC under separate cover.

Sincerely,

Jeffrey C. Bates

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Jeffrey T. Lawson, P.G.

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